

4.0 List of Preparers

Western Area Power Administration

Rodney Jones

Education: M.S.E. Environmental Engineering
Project Responsibility: Project Management, Coordination, Review, and Environmental Compliance
Experience: 36 years professional experience

Viola G. Michaelis

Education: Masters, Project Management; BS - Electrical Engineer
Project Responsibility: Project Management
Experience: 21 years - Electrical Engineering, 12 years - Project Management

Steve Webber

Education: BS, Business
Project Responsibility: Land Acquisition and Land Management
Experience: 20 years of acquisition and management experience at Western

Alpine Archaeological Consultants, Inc.

Kimberly L. Redman

Education: M.A., Anthropology and B.A., Anthropology
Project Responsibility: Cultural Resource Principal Investigator (EA)
Experience: 14 years of archaeological experience, 6 years of archaeological project management, and 2 years experience managing cultural and environmental compliance.

Alan D. Reed

Education: M.A., Anthropology and B.A., Anthropology
Project Responsibility: Cultural Resource Principal Investigator and Project Director (Cultural Resource Inventory)
Experience: 25 years of archaeological experience and project management for projects in Colorado, Utah, New Mexico, Wyoming, and Kansas

Asoian Associates

Mark J. Asoian

Education: B.S. (Meteorology) Lowell Technological Institute
Project Responsibility: Climate and Air Quality
Experience: 26 years providing professional meteorological and air quality assessment services

Geo/Graphics Inc.

Gerald C. Hughes

Education: B.A. Geography
Project Responsibility: GIS, GIS Project Management Administration
Experience: President, Geo/Graphics. 20 years experience in Cartography and GIS Consulting

Inberg-Miller Engineers

Larry Wright

Education: B.A. Engineering Science and M.S. Civil Engineering
Project Responsibility: Principal Researcher and Author, Geology, Soils, Paleontology
Experience: 22 years professional Experience.

Robert Carpenter

Education: B..S. Architectural Engineering
Project Responsibility: Project Manager, Researcher
Experience: 40 years experience

Kathol & Company

Jennifer Kathol

Education: B.S. Natural Resource Economics
Project Responsibility: Assistant Project Manager, Land Use, Recreation, Socioeconomics, Environmental Justice, Transportation
Experience: President, Kathol & Company. 24 years of NEPA experience completing and managing projects and Human Resources sections of EIS, EA, EIR, and international environmental documents

View Point West

Christine Keller

Education: M.A. Geography, conservation of Environmental Quality, and B.A. Sociology
Project Responsibility: EA Project Manager responsible for coordination of consultant resource specialists, EA document preparation, Visual Resources and Electrical Effects and Human Health
Experience: Partner, View Point West. 31 years experience in managing environmental compliance programs for energy projects within the western United States.

Tony J. Kovacic

Education: A.S. Computer Technology
Project Responsibility: Visual Simulation Specialist
Experience: Partner, View Point West. 19 years as a computer specialist in Auto-Cad, Land Cad, Hi-Res QFX, and Truevision Imaging Software

TRC Mariah Associates Inc.**Karyn Coppinger**

Education: M.S. (Botany) University of Wyoming; MS (Geology) Colorado State University; BA (Geology) Hampshire College
Project responsibility: Surface water, floodplains and wetlands, vegetation, wildlife, special status and sensitive species
Experience: 19 years professional experience

Jan Hart

Education: M.S. (Water Resources / Rangeland Ecology and Watershed Management) University of Wyoming; B.S., (Wildlife Conservation and Management) University of Wyoming; A.A.S. (Natural Resources Conservation) Muskingum Area Technical College
Project Responsibility: Field reconnaissance, Cheyenne to Ault; surface water, floodplains and wetlands, vegetation, wildlife, special status and sensitive species
Experience: 11 years professional experience

Randy Blake

Education: A.S. (Biology) Dodge City Community College; B.S. (Wildlife Biology, Aquatic Option) University of Wyoming
Project Responsibility: Field reconnaissance, Cheyenne to Miracle Mile; raptor nest inventory, GIS mapping
Experience: 17 years professional experience

Craig Kling

Education: M.S. Wildlife Biology, Colorado State University; B.S. (Zoology/Wildlife Biology) North Dakota State University
Project Responsibility: Quality Assurance
Experience: 30 years professional experience

Roger Schoumacher

Education: M.S. (Fisheries) University of Michigan; B.S. (Wildlife Management) Utah State University
Project Responsibility: Quality Assurance
Experience: 40 years professional experience

Mindy Teters

Education: B.A. (in progress) University of Wyoming
Project Responsibility: GIS mapping
Experience: 4 years professional experience

Tamara Linse

Education: M.A. (English) University of Wyoming; B.A. (English) University of Wyoming
Project Responsibility: Document production and editing
Experience: 11 years professional experience

Genial DeCastro

Education: B.S. (Business Administration) University of Wyoming
Project Responsibility: Document production and scheduling
Experience: 19 years professional experience

Ron L. Arrigo

Education: B.S. (Computer Science) University for Nebraska, B.A. (Psychology)
University of Nebraska
Project Responsibility: Desktop Publishing, Graphics integration
Experience: 1 year desktop publishing, editing, layout and design.